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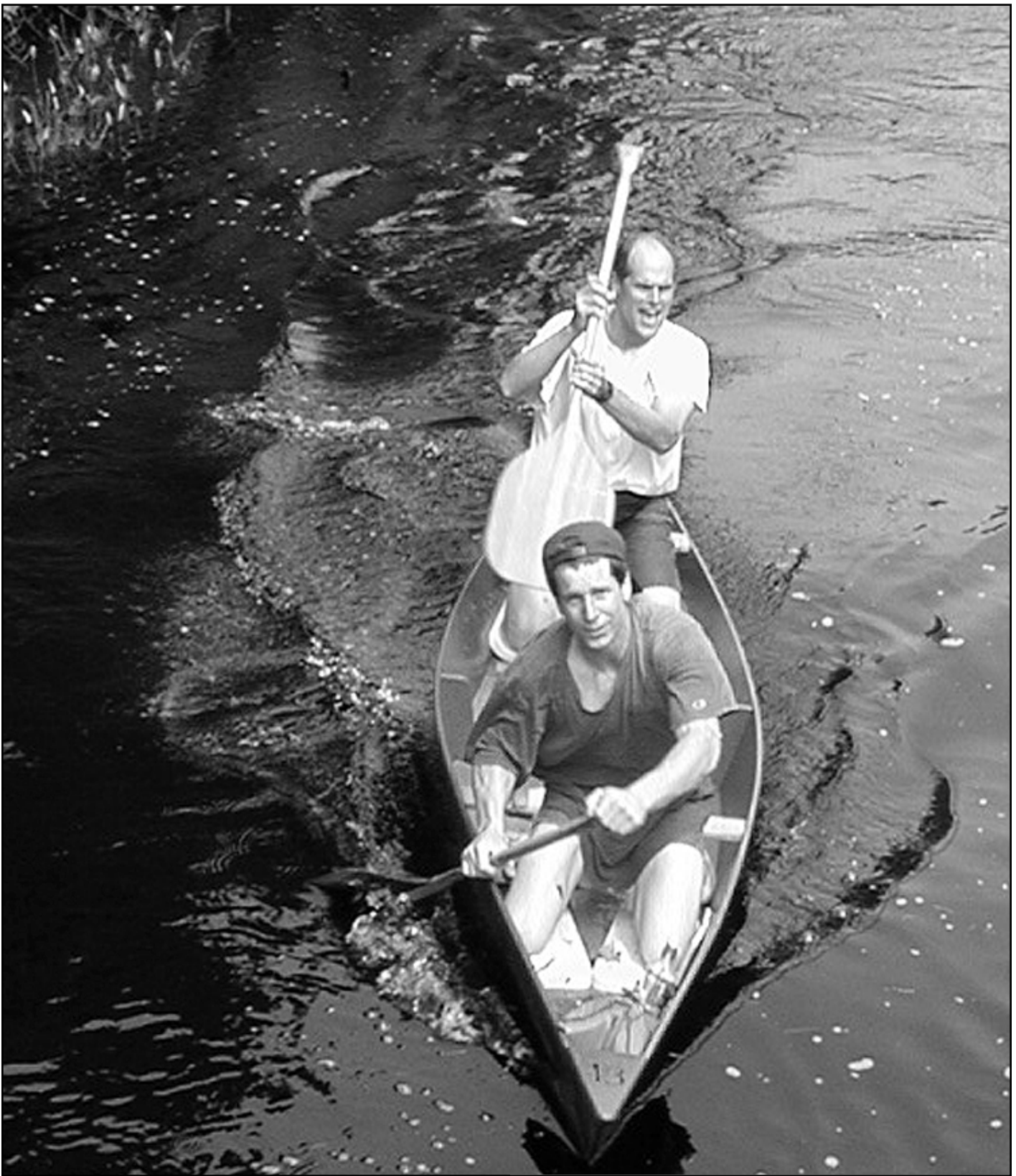
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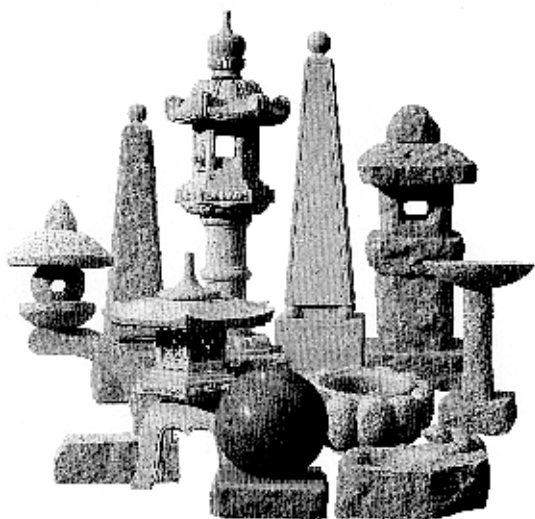
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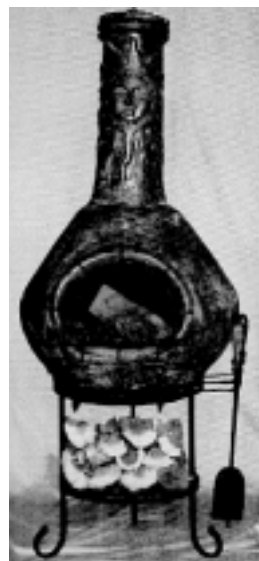
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2001 Memorial Day Boat Race Results

The 2001 running of the traditional Memorial Day Boat Race on the Mattapoissett River managed to kick off without a hitch on Monday, May 28, despite the impending threat of inclement weather. The official results tabulated on Tuesday morning revealed that 81 of the 90-plus participating teams finished the trek from Grandma Hartley's Reservoir in Rochester down to the Herring Weir off Route 6 in Mattapoissett. Teams consisted of two persons per boat, with a variety of combinations and divisions.

The big winners once again this year was the team of **Sean Shaw** (Rochester) and **C.J. Hedges IV** (Hamden, CT), who took first place overall honors for the third consecutive year in a row, clinching the coveted "Jim Hartley Trophy" for the three-time championship. They also broke the previous all-water course record of 1:50:38 set last year with a new 2001 record, com-

pleting the race in an impressive 1:49:25.

Past champs **Jeff Eldridge** and **Walter Gonet** (both of Rochester) settled into a comfortable second place position with a 1:56:56 finish time; and **Dana Barrows** (Mattapoissett) and **Arthur Benner** (Rochester) trailed just behind with a finish time of 1:59:58, taking the third place overall honors.

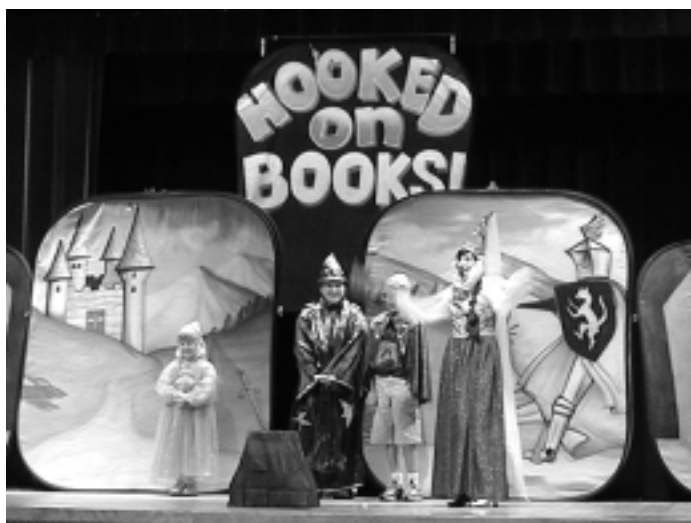
The "Old Man River" Trophy, given to the eldest participant in each annual competition, went to William D. Watling, Jr. (53) of Rochester, who finished 23rd with teammate William D. Watling III.

In the Co-Ed Division, the Rochester team of

On the cover: The team of Mike Isabelle (Buzzards Bay) and Ed Bentz (Rochester) head for the finish line in the Memorial Day Boat Race on the Mattapoissett River this past week. The duo completed the race in 2:04:43, taking fifth place overall honors in the competition. Some 81 two-person teams finished the long and arduous race, which has become an annual summer kickoff tradition in the tri-town area. (Photo by Kenneth J. Souza).



Above: Members of the Grade 5 and 6 Mattapoissett Recreation Basketball Team won the spring 2001 championship recently. Members of the championship team pictured here include (front row, l. to r.) Sam Asci, Matt Costa, Bobby Cote, and Mike Clancy; (standing, l. to r.) Billy DeCosta, Graham O'Dowd, Andrew Straus, John Ferreira, and Nick Nelson; and back row (l. to r.) coaches Tom Cote and Peter Nelson.



Above: The Mother Goose Family provided a learning lesson about reading titled "Hooked on Books" for the students at the Rochester Memorial School on Tuesday, May 29. The program featured interactive songs and stories about the many adventures to be found in books. Here student volunteers help to reenact the story of the "Sword in the Stone." (Photo by Kenneth J. Souza).

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Meredith Sherman and Gary Stopka took the first place prize, finishing in 2:08:53 (and taking the tenth place overall position). Second place co-ed honors went to Danni Kleiman and Henry Ducharme of Rochester (2:17:19); and third place co-ed winners were the team of Heather MacNeil (Middleboro) and Hap Hedges III (Rochester) with 2:17:37.

Top winners in the Parent/Child Division was the team of Meg MacGregor and Peter MacGregor of Rochester, who completed the course in 2:04:42, also taking the fourth place overall honors. Rounding out the top three in the Parent/Child Division were the team of Matthew G. Lawrence and Gifford O. Lawrence of Rochester (2:06:10) and the team of Ian Donaghy and Bill Donaghy of Rochester (2:08:31).

First place in the Junior Girls Division was the Mattapoisett team of Marielle McCarthy and Kerrin Souza (2:58:30) and the second place honors went to Erin Coulter and Alissa Allen, both of Mattapoisett (3:41:23).

The Rochester team of Jordan Sattelmair and Eric Case took the first place prize in the Junior Boys Division with a finishing time of 2:23:17. Second place went to Ian MacGregor and Cliff Sherman, both of Rochester, with a time of 2:26:40; and third place winners were Liz Walker and Edward Bentz Jr. of Rochester (2:36:26).

In the Women's Division, the top prize went to the team of Johanna Lindberg (Greenfield, MA) and Samantha Meservey (Rochester), who finished in 2:21:56.

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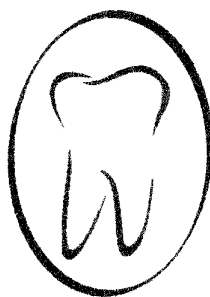
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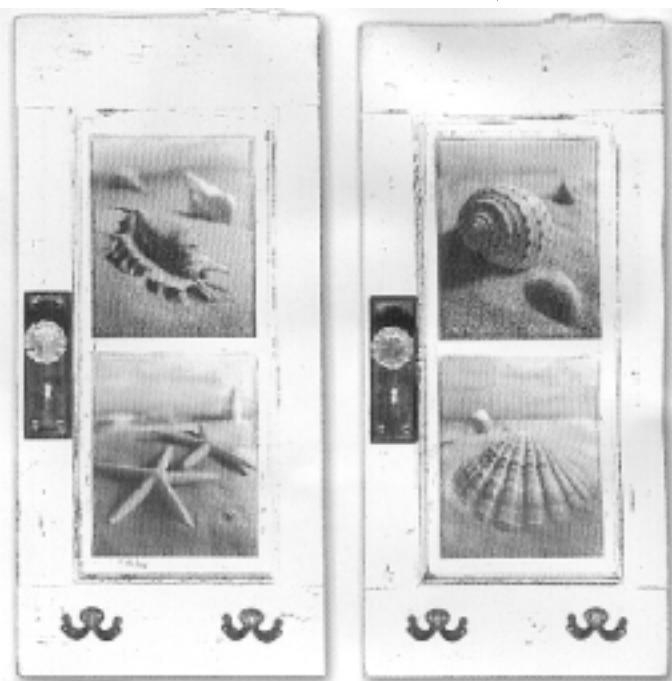
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Rounding out the top three in the Women's Division:
Christina Hedges and Andrea Shaw (Rochester) with
2:25:36; and the team of **Caitlin Trahan and Megan
Martin**, both of Mattapoisett, with 2:28:06.

The top 20 finishing teams in the Open Division
for the 2001 Rochester Memorial Day Boat Race on the
Mattapoisett River were as follows:

1. Sean Shaw (Rochester) and C.J. Hedges IV
(Hamden, CT) – 1:49:25;
2. Jeff Eldridge and Walter Gonet (Rochester) –
1:56:56;
3. Dana Barrows (Mattapoisett) and Arthur
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4. Meg MacGregor and Peter MacGregor

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- 6. Matthew G. Lawrence and Gifford O. Lawrence (Rochester) – 2:06:10;
- 7. Paul Milde and Robert Tripp (Mattapoisett) – 2:06:10;
- 8. Joe Gomes (New Bedford) and Jeffrey Wood (Rochester) – 2:06:28;
- 9. Ian Donaghy and Bill Donaghy (Rochester) – 2:08:31;
- 10. Meredith Sherman and Gary Stopka (Rochester) – 2:08:53;
- 11. Nathaniel Picard (Fairhaven) and Eric Ducharme (Rochester) – 2:11:19;
- 12. Marc Surprenant (Rochester) and Michael R. Dufresne (Acushnet) – 2:13:22;
- 13. Chris Yard II and Peter Dahill (Mattapoisett) – 2:13:35;
- 14. James Manning (Wareham) and Adam Lawrence (Rochester) – 2:13:54;
- 15. Mike Downing (Marion) and Will Hartley Jr. (Rochester) – 2:14:20;
- 16. Ryan J. Coutu and Andrew Weigel (Rochester) – 2:14:23;
- 17. Ben Couto (Rochester) and Gary Schuyler (Mattapoisett) – 2:14:35;
- 18. Tim Schuyler and Tom Dawicki (Mattapoisett) – 2:15:41;
- 19. Danni Kleiman and Henry Ducharme (Rochester) – 2:17:19;
- 20. Wesley Sherman and Bryan Sherman (Rochester) – 2:17:33.

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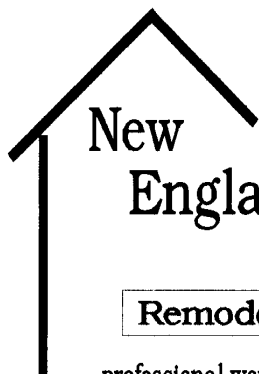
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Mattapoisett Road Race

The ORR Alumni Association is holding a Mattapoisett Road Race Meeting on Wednesday, June 6 at 7:00 pm. The meeting will be held at 9 Hammond Street. All previous Road Race Committee members are invited to attend. Anyone who is interested in helping to make the race a success again this year is welcome to attend. They need volunteers to join in on this exciting yearly event. If you have any questions regarding the meeting or the race, please call Dan White at 508-758-3121.

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Registration fee is \$12 up to the race, \$15 the day of the event. You may register up until race time on July 4, however all entries registered after 9:00 am on the day of the race will not be calibrated. (The Mattapoisett Road Race Committee reserves the right to reject any entry.)

T-shirts will be guaranteed to the first 700 entrants at Shipyard Park. Pickup time is 5:00 to 8:00 pm on Tuesday, July 3. Trophies will be awarded to the First Place Overall Male and Female winners; to the first three finishers overall in each division; and every runner is eligible for Runners Raffle for Merchandise Awards (winners must be present). Registration forms are now available at local vendors throughout Mattapoisett or may be obtained by calling the Mattapoisett Road Race Committee at 508-758-3121. All proceeds are awarded to ORR High School runners.

Golf Tournament

Saint Joseph School in Fairhaven will be hosting its fourth **Annual Golf Tournament** on **Sunday, August 5** at the Whaling City Golf Club in New Bedford. There will be a **Shot Gun Start at 1:00 pm**. Tickets are \$85 per person, which includes greens fees, carts, driving range, \$10 credit at the pro shop, and a steak dinner served after

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Buzzards Bay Regatta

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For registration and further information about the regatta, please check out our website at www.buzzardsbayregatta.com or through our mailing address at **Buzzards Bay Regatta 2001, P.O. Box P-4, Dartmouth, MA. 02748**, telephone **508-997-4664**, or email us at: info@buzzardsbayregatta.com.

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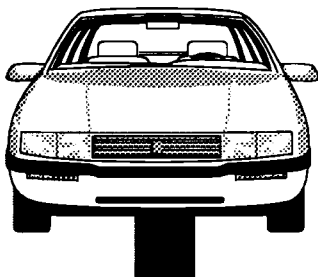
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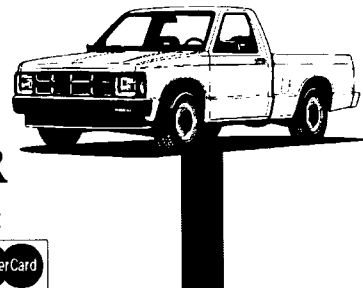
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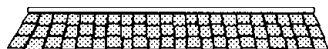
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"Karate for Kids" will be held on Monday and Wednesday from 5:00 to 6:00 pm starting June 11. This class will be taught by Donna Klucsevsek and is open to children ages 5 to 15. Donna has six years' experience in the USA GoJu. The class will run in six-week sessions and the cost is \$60.

"Bionic Self-Defense" will begin on Thursday, June 14 at 6:00 pm. This program will be instructed by Sheila Walter Parks, a thirty-year veteran in Martial Arts. The class is based on simple and easy to remember techniques. Students are encouraged to use their personal environment to protect themselves. This class is also run in six-week sessions on Thursday from 6:00 to 7:00 pm. The cost is \$50 for six weeks, if paid in full, or \$10 per class. This is an adult program for ages 18 and up. Rochester Woman's Club members receive a 15 percent discount.

The club also sponsors Yoga Classes on Tuesday from 9:00 to 10:30 am and 7:00 to 8:30 pm and Tai Chi Classes on Monday mornings at 10:00 am.

For more information or to register for any class, please call 508-763-4965. Space is limited and pre-registration is encouraged.

Tractor Raffle

The Rochester Woman's Club, in cooperation with R.F. Morse, will again be raffling off a brand new John Deere lawn tractor, this year with an additional utility trailer. The tickets are \$5 each and sales are limited to 1500 tickets. The proceeds from this raffle will be used to aid the club in efforts to continue such projects as their

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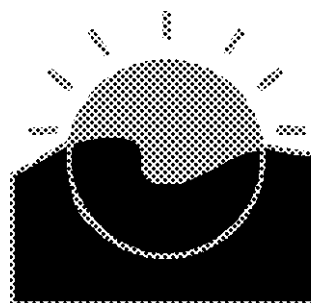
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annual scholarship fund and to make their building available to all local groups and organizations. The club house is in serious need of repair. The Woman's Club is hoping to begin a building repair fund for this effort.

Tickets are now on sale and will be available until the drawing on June 16. Tickets are available at the Plumb Memorial Library, Bev's Books, Hair and Body Solutions, Lloyd's Market, Sunnynook Farm, Rochester Cafe, Mayflower Bank, Fearing Barn, Bahama House Chiropractic, Lanzoni's in Acushnet, Old Iron Gym in Wareham, and from members of the following organizations: Rochester Woman's Club, Rochester Cub Scouts, and Rochester Grange, or by calling 508-763-4965 or 508-763-3337.

Mattapoisett Biodiversity Days

Biodiversity Days are back! Friday, June 8 through Sunday, June 10 there will be a statewide effort to inventory species of plants, animals, and anything living. This inventory is being collected by the state for use for future planning and protection purposes. In Mattapoisett there will be a general walk at 8:30 am on Saturday, June 9 at Nasketucket Bay State Reservation (formerly the Nunes Property) on Brandt Island Road. Birders may want to meet earlier at 7:00 am to beat the crowds. Please bring field guides, binoculars, insect repellent, and dress for the occasion. Inventory lists will be supplied. Spectacular forest, wetlands, vernal pools, and coastal habitats will be explored and investigated.



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Please help to contribute to Mattapoisett's Biodiversity Day list. If you go bird watching, butterfly gapping, lichen lurking, or fishing on your own during the weekend, please stop by Marion's Bicentennial Park if weather is good or the Marion Natural History Museum if raining (across Spring Street from the park) from 3:00 to 4:30 pm on Sunday, June 10 and add your siting to the weekend list. This event will be held as a cooperative effort with the Town of Marion participants so they can compare and discuss the weekend findings. For more information about the intent of Biodiversity Days, check out <http://data.massgis.state.ma.us/Biodiversity/BiodiversityDays.htm>, or e-mail Lizleid@aol.com. You can also call the Lloyd Center at 508-990-0505.

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ORR Alumni Association

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The second annual ORR Alumni Association Golf Tournament is scheduled for Monday, August 20 at 1:00 pm. Last year, the first golf tournament was a great success and they hope to follow it up with another great showing! Look for more information in the upcoming weeks. If you have any questions regarding the golf tournament now, please call Byron Lafferty at 508-428-3344 or Steve Heath at 508-748-2493.

Winners of the ORR Alumni Awards: The ORR Alumni Association is happy to announce the recipients of their awards this year. The students that will receive \$500 awards after their first semester at college are: Andrea Kaner, Brendon Auld, and Jere Espejo. The graduate from ORR who will receive a \$500 award as she continues her college education is: Robin Davidson, from the class of 1999. Congratulations to these students and fellow alumni of Old Rochester Regional High School.

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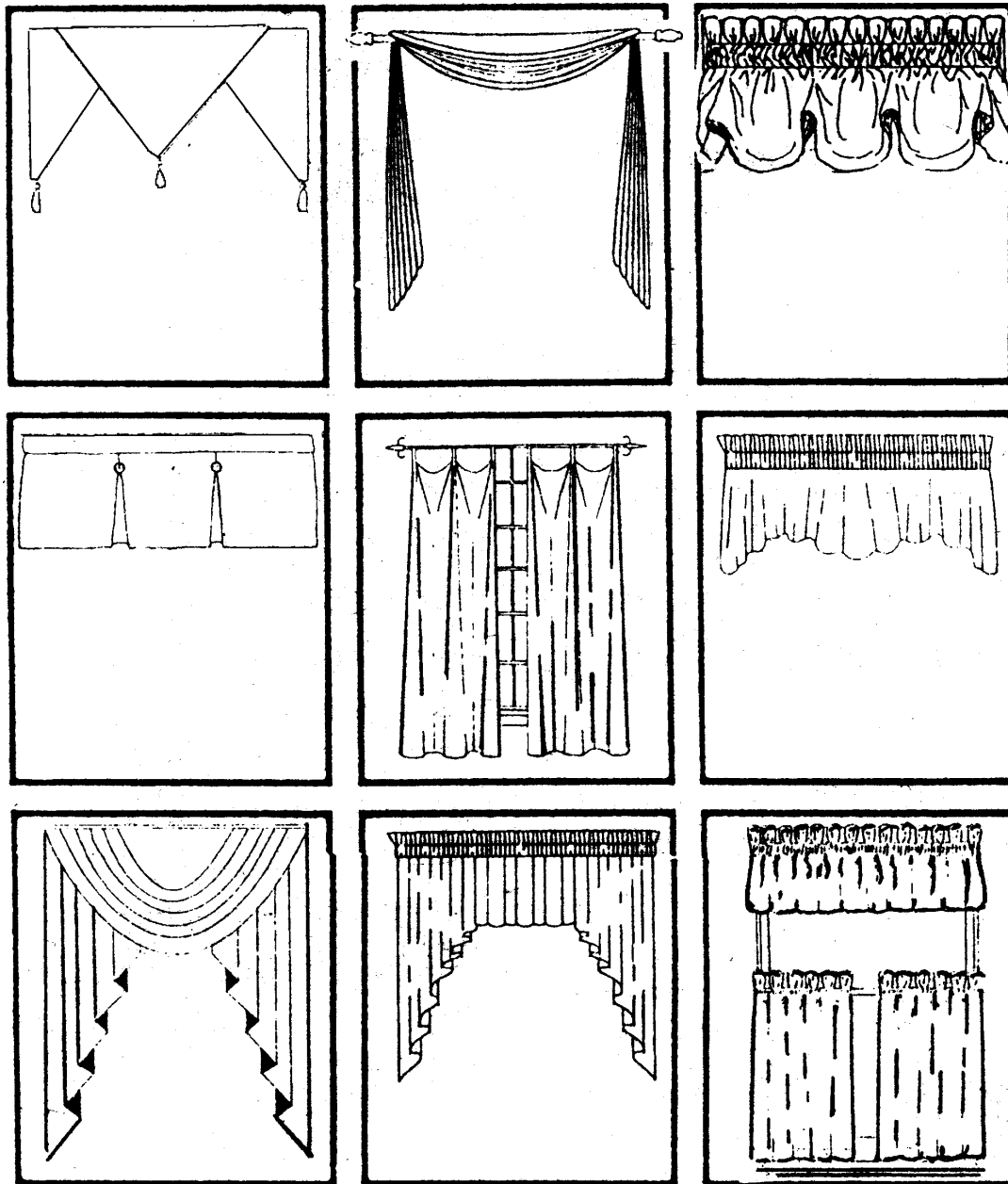
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The spring worship service of the Mattapoisett Christian Church will be held on Sunday, June 3 at 3:00 pm at 5 Church Street in the Christian Meetinghouse erected in 1821. The Mattapoisett Christian Church retains its identity but now meets only two days a year and its building is used by the Mattapoisett Historical Society. In the early 1800s, nearly every town had a "Christian" church, so named because it was open to Christians of every persuasion. The meetinghouse is reminiscent of this early period — with box pews, foot warmers, high pulpit, sounding board, and even a large "egg timer" to time the pastor's sermon.

If you were to bring your great-grandparents with you to the service, they would be right at home. The hymns would have been as familiar to them as to you — one was written by a Little Compton native. Mattapoisett Congregational Church organist Michele Gordon will accompany the hymns on a Mason and Hamlin "pump" organ. Mason and Hamlin organs were manufactured in Boston. Mr. Hamlin received a patent for the device that kept his reed organs in tune. Although this organ is not fully restored, it has an unusual "seraphone" stop that hopefully sounds like the music of angels. The Reverend Pamela J. Cole, President of the Greater New Bedford

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Bishop Stang High School

Commencement

Bishop Stang High School in North Dartmouth will hold its thirty-ninth Commencement Exercises on Sunday, June 3 at 2:00 pm in the John C. O'Brien Gymnasium of the Dartmouth campus. Bishop Sean O'Malley will preside at the graduation of the 131 members of the Class of 2001. Senior Class President Ashley Sparks of Little Compton will deliver the welcoming address. Jonathan Raymond of Fall River, the number one student in the class, will deliver the valedictory address. Jocelyn Lally of Acushnet is the number two student in the class, the salutatorian.

The top ranking students in the Class of 2001 and the colleges they are attending include: 1. Jonathan

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Honor Roll

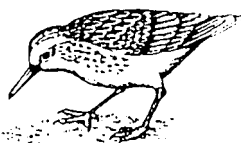
Bishop Stang High School recently announced the tri-town students who earned Honor Roll distinction during the third quarter of the 2000-2001 school year. To be named to the President's List, a student must have a grade of 90 or above in all courses. To achieve First Honors, a student must have an average of 90 or above in all courses combined. Those attaining Second Honors recognition have earned an average of 85 or above in all courses combined. Honorable Mention is earned by those students who have attained an average of 80 or above in all courses.

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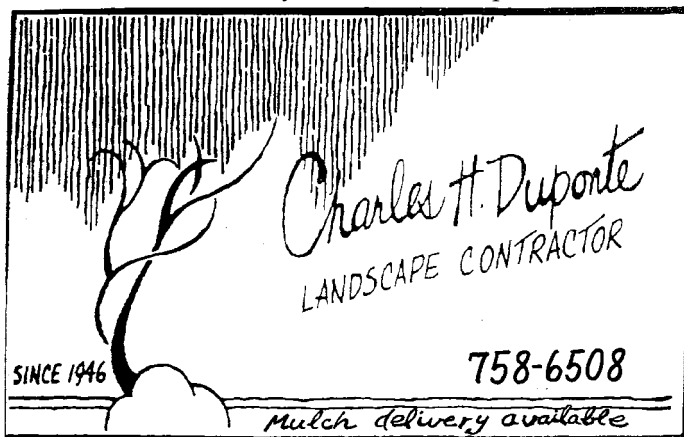


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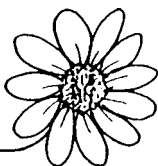
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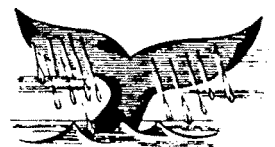
The special exhibit at the Mattapoisett Museum and Carriage House this summer will focus on the history of the Mattapoisett schools and they are looking for any early memorabilia — photos, yearbooks, scrapbooks, report cards, your letters earned in sports or band, your old football jerseys, and the like. If you have any such items and would be willing to loan them to the museum for the summer, please call 508-758-2844 and let them know what you have to offer.

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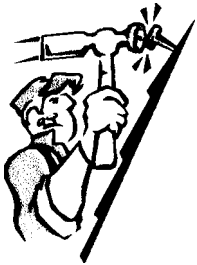


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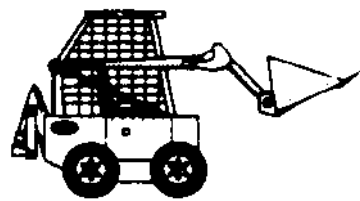
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- Fairhaven Police Department: August 6, 7, 13, 14 and 20 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

Habitat House Dedication

The Buzzards Bay Area Habitat for Humanity, Inc. will hold a House Dedication on Sunday, June 10 at 5:00 pm at the site of the most recently completed house on Beech Street in West Wareham (off Route 58 at Exit 2 of Route 495). A Pot Luck Supper will follow at the First Congregational Church Community Room on Gibbs Avenue in Wareham. All are invited to join in the celebration of achievement and gratitude.

The homeowner, Kimberly Robbins, and her daughter, Alyssa Westgate, have worked side by side with Habitat volunteers to build this handicap-accessible home. The design incorporates universal access features in a charming cape-style ranch. There will be an opportunity to tour the site and house, meet the family and volunteers, and see a video of the build.

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Line Dancing is cancelled for Thursday, May 31.



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The SHINE Counselor will be back at the Senior Center on Monday, June 11.

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The Senior Center will be closed on Friday, June 1. Please plan your FISH call needs accordingly.

Rochester Country Fair

Final preparations for the 2001 Rochester Country Fair are well underway. In case you missed the fun last year, the Rochester Country Fair is a community-supported continuation of last year's Millennium Celebration. The fair is slated to run from Wednesday, August 15 through Sunday, August 19 at Plumb Corner Mall in the town's center.

Currently, the Rochester Country Fair Committee is looking for demonstrations of skills and unique collectors who are willing to show their stuff on the Country Fair Day, Saturday, August 18. Perhaps you're a blacksmith, wood carver, or you enjoy quilting, or perhaps you have a personal collection you would like to display. The committee is looking forward to adding your specialties to the homegrown country fair.

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The fair will kick off Wednesday evening, August 15 with a town ball game — actually a rematch between the Rochester Police Brotherhood and the Rochester Fire Association. Thursday, August 16 is the town's Senior Picnic to be held at Plumb Corner. The Woodsman Show will be featured on Friday evening, August 17.

Saturday, August 18 is the Country Fair Day, which has something of interest to everyone: even the newest generation can participate in the baby face and baby crawl contest. Last year's favorites will be carried over to this year, such as the sack and three-legged races, bicycle parade, turtle and frog races, pie eating contest, lawn mower race, and tractor show. New events include an antique tractor pull and hay pitching contest for adults, a hula-hoop contest, a rubber chicken contest, and water balloon events for both children and the young-at-heart. They will also be featuring a pie bakeoff ... so dig out those old-time recipe favorites!

Saturday evening will feature a Block Dance with The Relics behind Plumb Corner Mall with the town's favorite gathering event — the Bon Fire!

A Harvest Time Parade theme will wrap things up on Sunday, August 19.

For more information, you may contact any of the following committee members: Slim Bernier (508-763-2414); Chris Faustino (508-763-8193); John or Pat Lafleur (508-763-8910); Duffy Clapp (508-965-6491); Julie Koczera (508-763-9610); Art Westgate (508-763-2486); or visit their

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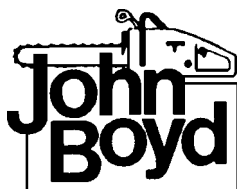
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Marion Dog Licenses

The Town of Marion dog licenses for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2001 are now available at the Town Clerk's office, Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street. All dogs over three months old are required to be licensed. The cost is \$7 for a spayed or neutered dog and \$10 for all others, male or female. It is necessary to provide proof of rabies vaccination. If the dog was licensed last year and the vaccination is still valid, it is not necessary to provide it again.

Sippican School Playground

The front brick façade of the 1954 wing of Sippican School is being taken down and will continue through Friday, June 15, 2001. It will be replaced with new yellow brick. This is necessary due to the deterioration of the lintels and sills in the windows of that wing.

During that time the Sippican School Playground at the front of the building will be closed through Friday, June 15 to insure the safety of all who use it. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation in this matter.

Fairhaven Yard Sale

A benefit Yard Sale will be held at the First Congregational Church, 34 Center Street in Fairhaven, on Saturday, June 23 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. The event will

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ORR Class of '76 Reunion

The Old Rochester Regional High School Class of 1976 will be having their 25th reunion on July 7 at the Century House in Acushnet. Invitations will be mailed out soon but they are still missing a number of addresses. Organizers are looking for the following classmates: Robin Abreu Knoblauch, Jeffrey Armes, Charles Canniff Jr., Sheila Clancy, Martha Dawson, Frank Dorr, Beverly

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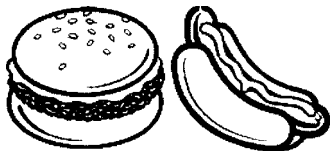
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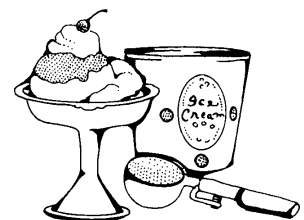
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Mattapoisett Family Fair

The Mattapoisett Parents-Teachers Association (PTA) will be holding their annual "Family Fun Fair" on Saturday, June 2 from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm at Old Hammondtown School in Mattapoisett. The fair will feature a dunk tank, silent auction, crafts, games, bake sale, moon walk, face painting, plants and the newest addition this year: a climbing wall!

The fair will be held, rain or shine, and everyone is invited to come and have a good time. The PTA still needs volunteers for the fair — if interested, please call Mary Beth at 508-758-2568 or Jenn at 508-758-3473.

The Mattapoisett PTA would like to extend a sincere "thank you" for the terrific turnout at their recent Nick's Pizza Night. Nick's apologizes for the delays since the great response was not expected. They will be better-prepared next time! Thanks to everyone who helped support the students through the PTA.

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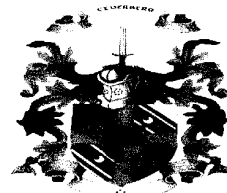
Marion Art Center

Nine Sage Brushes

A new exhibition titled "Nine Sage Brushes," featuring images of New England and the Southwest, is now on display at the Marion Art Center. Laura Anderson, a professional artist who lives in Mattapoisett, has been attending workshops in New Mexico, led by Lois Tarlow, along with the rest of the group for many years. This is the first time the nine have shown together.

The show is shared by an impressive group of professional women artists whose resumes are too extensive to cite here. They include: Laura Anderson (of Mattapoisett), Anne Lloyd Dupont (Lee's Summit,

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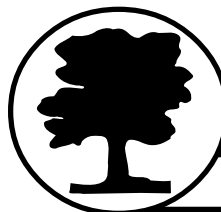
The "Nine Sage Brushes" show will be on display in both galleries at the Marion Art Center through June 27. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm; and Saturday 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. The MAC is located at the corner of Main and Pleasant Streets in Marion and admission is FREE.

American Girls Songbook

Reservations are now being accepted for the Marion Art Center's production of "The American Girls Songbook," a musical revue featuring songs and stories about the American Girl Dolls, which will be presented on June 15 at 7:00 pm and plays June 16 at 7:00 pm and June 17 at 2:00 pm.

The characters are carefully researched young women in American history. But these stories are not just about the girls. They are about decisions and values all young people face. They transcend time and place. They are about kindness, friendship, compassion, honesty, loyalty, and knowing one's self.

The six vignettes include the following characters: Felicity Merriman (played by Brittany Severance), a spunky girl growing up in Williamsburg, VA in 1774. She grows impatient with "sitting-down kinds of things" and longs to be riding a beautiful horse named Penny; Josephina Montoy (played by Ashley Owen), a girl of heart and hope growing up in 1824 New Mexico, a place of hard work and dreams; Kirsten Larson (played by Sarah Stickles), a pioneer girl in Minnesota in 1854 — she is lonely in the new land but makes friends and learns that some things are the same in any language; Addy Walker (played by Ryley Conlon), a courageous girl growing up in 1864 in the midst of the Civil War, she and



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her mother escape slavery and find new challenges in their new life; Samantha Parkington (played by Lindsey Barrington), a Victorian girl living with her wealthy grandmother in 1904, during this time of change in America, she tries to make a difference and do the right thing and her cousin Charlie (played by Charlie Latham) helps her with the decision; and Molly McIntire (played by Lucy Nadler), a girl growing during World War II who faces many challenges and learns what really is important.

The young actors are voice and young people's theater students at the Marion Art Center. They are supported by music director Kymberley Ashley and veteran music performers Judith Coykendall, Sheila Furtado, and Anne Schenck. Elise Cooke and Jennifer Golarz provide narration for each story. The show is directed by Wendy Bidstrup. Technical director is Bruce Cobb, and Elaine Cronin provides piano accompaniment.

Tickets are \$8 for MAC members and \$10 general admission, and reservations are strongly recommended as seating is limited. For tickets or reservations, please call 508-748-1266.

Boating Basics in Fairhaven

A Boating Basics Safety Course will be held in the Fairhaven Police Department Training Room, 1 Bryant Lane in Fairhaven, on June 5, 7, 12, 14 and 19 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Co-sponsored by the Environmental Police, the Fairhaven Police Department, and the Fairhaven Harbormaster's Office, the course is open to the public at no charge. The primary purpose of the course is to foster safe attitudes by developing an increased awareness of safe boating practices, legal responsibilities, and general marine knowledge.

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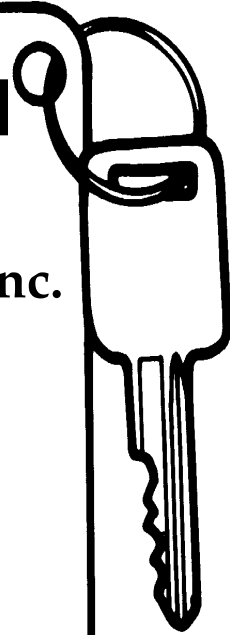
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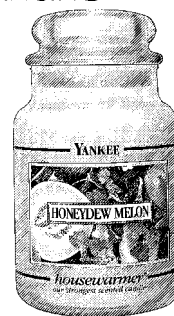
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- Tuesday, June 5 – SERVE Registration, 12:00 noon to 2:00 pm;
- Wednesday, June 6 – SERVE Registration, 12:00 noon to 2:00 pm;
- Saturday, June 9 – Civil War Battle Re-enactment at Plumb Corner;
- Sunday, June 10 – Lions Club Breakfast under the tent at Plumb Corner, 7:00 am to 11:00 am; Civil War Re-enactment;
- Monday, June 11 – Tour of Fairhaven, leave Town Hall at 9:30 am, eat at Peking Garden buffet (please call Marie at 508-763-8723 for reservations);
- Tuesday, June 12 – Senior Citizen Club Luncheon at Vel's, AARP members invited, be there by 12:30 pm with

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- Thursday, June 14 – Foot Doctor at Town Hall, 8:30 am to 2:00 pm;
- Monday, June 18 – Grist Mill in Plymouth, leave Town Hall at 9:00 am (please call Marie at 508-763-8723 for reservations);
- Wednesday, June 20 – COA Board Meeting at Town Hall at 9:30 am;
- Saturday, June 23 – SERVE Pick-Up at Town Hall, 10:00 am to 12:00 noon;
- Monday, June 25 – Trip to Cape Cod Potato Chip Factory in Hyannis, leave Town Hall at 9:30 am.

Country Fair in Fairhaven

St. Joseph's School in Fairhaven will be holding its Fifth Annual Country Fair and Yard Sale on Saturday, June 2 from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. The fair, which will take place on the school grounds at 100 Spring Street in Fairhaven, will feature crafters, adult games, children's games, music, raffles, pony rides, a pie judging contest, a Chinese auction, a food court, and flea market.

The school is looking for good used items to sell at the Giant Indoor Yard Sale. If you have any items that you would like to donate to the school's yard sale, please call the school at 508-996-1983. Items may be dropped off through June 1, however if you are unable to drop off the items yourself, arrangements can be made to have them picked up. Please keep in mind that all donations are

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UMass Dartmouth Graduation

Among the 1,135 graduates of the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth who will receive their degrees during the school's 101st Commencement Exercises on Sunday, June 3 are the following students from our circulation area. Former U.S. Attorney General Janet Reno is the scheduled commencement speaker and will also receive an honorary doctorate. Honorary degrees will also be conferred upon menswear designer Joseph Abboud; cookbook author and culinary educator Julia Child; theater, film and television actor Michael Beach; English scholar Mary Viscountess Eccles; and financier/developer James J. Karam, an alumnus of UMass Dartmouth.

• ACUSHNET – Richard Amaral (Mathematics); Carla Camara (Psychology); Chad Dupuis (Computer and Information Systems); Christopher Fernandes (Psychology); Sarah Fiano (Sociology/Criminal Justice); Melissa Hammond (Biology/Marine Biology); Carolyn Howcroft (Sociology/Criminal Justice); Dallas Leonard (Nursing); Karen Melo (Finance); Susan Moniz (Professional Writing); Tammy Pepin (Finance); Elizabeth Pimental (Management); Jennifer Pinto (Accounting); Rhiannon Poitras (Psychology); Amber Pombo (Biology); Jessica Prachniak (Management); Matthew Sorenson (Management); Richard Vieira (Visual Design/Graphic Design); Lisa da Costa (Accounting); David dos Santos (Electrical Engineering).

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John Duff III (Electrical Engineering); Becky Foster (Humanities / Social Sciences); Jocelyn Kagan (Marketing); David Lamb (Management); Roxanne Pinto (Nursing); Joan Ruel (Psychology); Sumner Waring III (Business Administration); Laura Perry (Accounting).

• ROCHESTER – Conrad Bernier (Political Science); Patricia Bissonnette (Psychology); Mary Bourque (Finance); Heather Chu (Art Education); Scott Orlowski (Civil Engineering); Andrea Shaw (Psychology).

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School Committee Meetings

The following is a schedule of School Committee Meetings for the month of June:

- Monday, June 11 at 7:30 pm – Mattapoisett School Committee at Old Hammondtown School;
- Wednesday, June 13 at 6:30 pm – Marion School Committee at Sippican School;
- Thursday, June 14 at 7:30 pm – Rochester School Committee at Memorial School;
- Monday, June 18 at 7:30 pm – Joint Meeting of the ORR District School Committee at Massachusetts School Superintendency Union #55 at Old Rochester Regional High School;
- Wednesday, June 20 at 7:00 pm – ORR District School Committee at Old Rochester Regional High School.

Mattapoisett Art Show

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Rochester Ham and Bean Supper

The Rochester Congregational Church on North Avenue will sponsor a Ham and Bean Supper on Saturday, June 2 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$4 for children, and children under 3 are admitted free. The menu will include home-baked desserts and the church is located one mile from Route 105 in Rochester.

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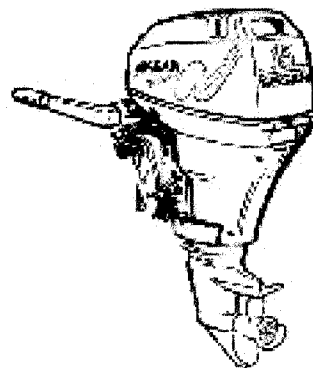


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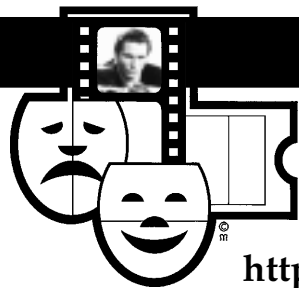
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MOVIE REVIEW

Bombs Away

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Pearl Harbor. Starring Ben Affleck, Kate Beckinsale, and Josh Hartnett. Directed by Michael Bay. Running time: 183 minutes. MPAA rating: PG-13. At Cinema 12 at the North Dartmouth Mall and Flagship Theatres in New Bedford.

It's probably damning with faint praise to say that *Pearl Harbor* may be the closest thing to a good movie Michael Bay will ever direct; unfortunately, it's still not very close to a good movie. A lot of observers have been rooting for this big, \$135 million, 183-minute baby to fall flat on its diaper, asserting itself as the unquestionable, contemptible bomb that will finally vanquish Bay's attention-deficit-disorder style of filmmaking for good. Bay, however, has crafted a watchable and sometimes even dumbly entertaining spectacle out of very base material (the "script" is blamed on *Braveheart*'s Randall Wallace).

The question is whether an epic about an American catastrophe *should* be dumbly entertaining. Let's tackle the thing itself, up front: The December 7, 1941 sneak attack on Pearl Harbor, which flares up more than an hour into the film, contains some of the most seamless computer-generated destruction effects you've ever seen. The many men and women who toiled endlessly to deliver a convincing re-enactment of the bombing deserve to take a bow. But underneath all this is the callous sensibility of a director who frames it all as a percussive fireworks bash out of *Star Wars*. Closer to the mark, *Pearl Harbor* is really *Independence Day* with historical credentials: "Aliens" attack; America fights back.

The center of *Pearl Harbor* is not the Hawaiian military base itself, but a romantic triangle. Ben Affleck and Josh Hartnett, hot-shot fighter pilots and best buddies since childhood, fall in love with the same woman, nurse Kate Beckinsale. This, I suppose, is designed for people who like their historical tragedy decorated with the doily of fictional romance — the same people who made *Titanic* such a hit. But whereas James Cameron was able to persuade us that the affair between Leonardo DiCaprio and Kate Winslet was in the stars and just *happened* to unfold aboard a doomed cruise liner, Bay cannot hoodwink us into thinking that Beckinsale's romantic anguish is anything other than demographically shrewd.

After Japan hits us hard, FDR (Jon Voight, in makeup not quite as seamless as the computer graphics) inspires his staff to



achieve the impossible — a retaliatory strike on Tokyo — by standing up out of his wheelchair on shaky legs. I took that as a neat metaphor for the movie, which can never quite stand on its own two feet. Everything in it is imported from better (and sometimes equally bad) movies. When Beckinsale wraps her hanky around Affleck's neck for good luck, I couldn't help thinking I'd just seen the gesture in two other movies this season, *A Knight's Tale* and *Shrek*. When Colonel James Doolittle makes countless speeches to beef up his men's courage, Alec Baldwin is interchangeable with Bill Pullman in *Independence Day*, rallying the troops with tough-guy doggerel. Asked what the men should do if their planes start going down over Tokyo, Doolittle says *he* would try to crash into as much military stuff as possible on the way down. "But," he adds hilariously and anachronistically, "that's just me."

It's undoubtedly no accident that *Pearl Harbor* arrives on Memorial Day weekend, traditionally the launchpad for the summer's Big Movie but also supposedly the time set aside to remember those who fell in battle. But the movie's gung-ho heroic spirit disturbingly suggests, albeit inadvertently, that the real heroes were those who survived; those who died obviously didn't have the right stuff. This is far from the truth, of course, since war claims the brave and cowardly alike, but movies like *Pearl Harbor*, with its broad-stroke Wagnerian approach to war and tragedy, hark back to the hollow John Wayne combat pictures in which the conflict was easily delineated and the heroes made it through with barely a scratch (as well as a few sad losses for the audience to sniffle over while knowing that anyone whose name appeared above the title on the poster was safe from harm). To me, any movie that tries to sell the audience on war as a proving ground for noble men (and women) is no better than a recruitment poster for death, and dishonors those who died at Pearl Harbor and every other field of battle. But that's just me.

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 The Tailor of Panama (R) - 12:45, 3:00, 5:15, 7:35, 9:50
 Moulin Rouge (PG-13) - 12:50, 4:00, 6:50, 9:20
 What's The Worst That Could Happen? (PG-13) - 1:00, 3:05, 5:05, 7:30, 9:35
 Shrek (PG) - 12:20, 1:00, 2:20, 3:00, 4:20, 5:00, 7:00, 7:30, 9:00, 9:30
 A Knight's Tale (PG-13) - 1:10, 4:10, 7:10, 9:55
 Bridget Jones' Diary (R) - 12:50, 2:55, 4:55, 7:25, 9:35
 Angel Eyes (R) - 1:50, 4:25, 7:20, 9:45
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 Animal (PG-13) - 12:40, 2:50, 5:00, 7:10, 9:20
 Angel Eyes (R) - 1:10, 4:20, 6:40, 8:50
 A Knight's Tale (PG-13) - 1:00, 3:40, 6:30, 9:10
 Pearl Harbor (PG-13) - 12:00, 12:30, 1:20, 3:40, 4:10, 5:00, 7:20, 8:00, 8:40
 Bridget Jones' Diary (R) - 1:20, 4:10, 6:40, 8:40
 The Mummy Returns (PG-13) - 1:10, 3:50, 6:20, 8:50
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Memorial in Rochester

A ceremony for the dedication of the Lloyd A. Vaughan, Sr. Memorial and a tribute to the Rochester Fire Department will take place on Sunday, June 10 at 1:00 pm across from Lloyd's Market in Rochester. A reception will follow at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Vaughan, Sr., 298 Cushman Road.

Fairhaven Food Drive

The George H. Taber Masonic Lodge, AF & AM, in Fairhaven will sponsor their First Annual Food Drive to "Help Curb Hunger" on Saturday, June 9 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Please donate non-perishable food items to the corner of Main and Center Streets in Fairhaven — all donations will go to the Shepherd's Pantry in Fairhaven.

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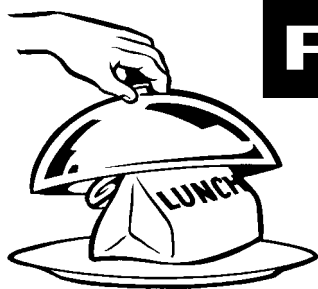
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Thursday, June 7 – Meat loaf with gravy, mashed potatoes with chives, mixed vegetables, dinner roll, brownie, graham wafer.

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Tuesday, June 5 – Hot dog on a roll, cole slaw, oven fries, fruit, dessert, milk.

Wednesday, June 6 – American chop suey, garlic bread, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

Thursday, June 7 – Stuffed crust cheese pizza, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

Friday, June 8 – EARLY DISMISSAL: No lunch served, snacks available.

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Tuesday, June 5 – Hot dog

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Wednesday, June 6 – American chop suey, garlic bread, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

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Tuesday, June 5 – Hot turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes, carrots, pears, assorted pudding.

Wednesday, June 6 – Fruit juice, linguica and cheese sandwich, French fries, corn, jello.

Thursday, June 7 – Stir fry chicken over rice, green beans, bread, chocolate chip cookie.

Friday, June 8 – Pizza, potato chips, mixed vegetables, fruit, assorted dessert.

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Tuesday, June 5 – Hot dog

on a roll, cole slaw, oven fries, fruit, dessert, milk.

Wednesday, June 6 – American chop suey, garlic bread, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

Thursday, June 7 – Stuffed crust cheese pizza, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

Friday, June 8 – EARLY DISMISSAL: No lunch served, snacks available.

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Tuesday, June 5 – Hot dog on a roll, cole slaw, oven fries, fruit, dessert, milk.

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There's something about the warmer climate that makes the summer conducive to musical performances. Whether it be enjoying the outdoor concerts held every year in Mattapoisett and Marion, or the proliferation of bands marching in holiday parades, summer is a season for music ... and below are just a few upcoming performances in the tri-town area worth checking out.

• Musical Salute in Marion

Odyssey and the First Congregational Church of Marion will present a "Musical Salute to Summer" featuring Ensemble Duemila on **Sunday, June 3 at 4:00 pm** in the First Congregational Church, Main and Front Streets in Marion. The group features **Wendy Rolfe** on Baroque and Boehm flute; **Christa Rakich** on Harpsichord and Organ; with guest artist Sandra Stuart, Soprano. They will perform selections by Handel, Pinkham, Chaminade, and Rutter. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$6 for students. Advance tickets are available at The Bookstall in Marion or can be obtained by calling 508-748-0853. This concert is made possible, in part, with support from the Massachusetts Cultural Council through the Marion and Mattapoisett Cultural Councils, and the Wareham Council on the Arts and Humanities.



*Left: Christa Rakich;
 Above: Wendy Rolfe.*

• Marion Family Concerts

Odyssey and the First Congregational Church of Marion will present a Family Concert featuring the Marion Flutefest Flute Choirs under the direction of **Wendy Rolfe**, Director, on **Friday, July 20 at 7:00 pm** in the First Congregational Church, Main and Front Streets, in Marion. Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$2 for students. For more infor-

mation on joining the Flutefest Flute Choirs, please call 508-748-1769.

The Boston Jazz Flute Ensemble will also return to the Marion Music Hall on **Saturday, August 11 at 8:00 pm** for a performance featuring Matt Marvuglio and Wendy Rolfe (flutes), Bill Thompson (flute and saxophone), and Jerry Cecco (alto flute and fluegelhorn), with Barry Smith on bass and an all-star rhythm section. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$6 for students. The historic Marion Music Hall is located on the corner of Front and Cottage Streets.



Advance tickets for both performances are available at The Bookstall in Marion, or to reserve tickets or for more information you can call 508-748-0853. These concerts are made possible, in part, with support from the Massachusetts Cultural Council through the Marion and Mattapoisett Cultural Councils, and the Wareham Council on Arts and Humanities.

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• Scandinavian Music in Mattapoisett

On Sunday, June 10 from 2:30 to 4:30 pm at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church the **Boston Scandinavian Ensemble** (pictured above) will present a program of traditional music and dance of Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Finland and Iceland.

Traditional music is at the heart of the trio's repertoire, and dance songs are essential to the performance. Some dances, *gammer dans*, are specific to Norway; the national dance of Sweden is the *hambo*. The group also plays a number of village dances, *bygde dans*; the Danish dances, the *pols*. The trio might also present "Tom Dooley" or "Mama Don't Allow No Guitar Pickin' Around Here" in Norwegian.

Tickets are \$10 for individual, \$20 for family, and will be available at the door and at the Phoenix at Euro, Fairhaven; Euro Ship Store in Fairhaven; The Bookstall in Marion; Seaport Village Ice Cream Shop in Mattapoisett; and the Mattapoisett Library. A percentage of the proceeds will benefit the Friends of the Mattapoisett Library.



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Local Police Logs

MARION

The following log excerpts are for the week of May 19 through May 27, 2001:

- Spring Street – noise complaint
- Lewis Street – animal complaint
- South Street – parking violation
- Rezendes Terrace – missing person
- Converse Road – animal complaint
- Mattapoisett Police Department – juvenile arrest (runaway)
- Indian Cove Road – disturbance
- Planting Island Road – general offense
- Mill Street – operating under the influence
- Spring Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Quail's Crossing Road – lost property reported
- Washburn Lane – suspicious motor vehicle
- Pumping Station Road – motor vehicle complaint
- Wareham Road – larceny/past
- Planting Island Road – parking violation
- Wareham Road – motor vehicle theft/in progress
- Spring Street – officer wanted
- Mansfield Avenue – assault and battery/past
- Kabeyun Road – animal complaint
- Wildflower Lane – animal complaint
- Hermitage Road – larceny/past
- Wareham Road – larceny/past
- Spring Street – trespassing
- Front Street – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- West Avenue – trespassing
- Piney Point Road – breaking and entering/past
- Front Street – larceny/past
- Planting Island Road – parking violation
- County Road – suspicious activity
- Water Street – trespassing
- Route 195 East – suspicious activity
- Pleasant Street – motor vehicle accident/hit and run/property damage

- Cranberry Way – annoying phone calls
- Gifford's Corner Road – animal complaint
- Point Road – officer wanted
- Water Street – trespassing
- Spring Street – parking violation
- Route 195 West – motor vehicle accident/hit and run/personal injury
- Gifford's Corner Road – animal complaint
- Front Street – motor vehicle complaint
- Route 195 West – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Front Street – motor vehicle complaint
- Wareham Road – suspicious person/adult arrest (protective custody)
- Front Street – youths in street
- Spring Street – noise complaint
- Delano Road – animal complaint
- Planting Island Road – parking violation
- Delano Road – animal complaint
- Cottage Street – parking violation
- Nokomis Road – animal complaint
- Rebecca Drive – officer wanted
- Wareham Road – general disturbance.

MATTAPOISETT

The following log excerpts are for the week of May 20 through May 26, 2001:

- Mattapoisett Neck Road – motor vehicle violation
- Bridle Path Way – problem with snakes reported
- Marion Road – motor vehicle accident
- Route 195 East – suspicious activity/persons
- Route 195 East – adult arrest (warrant)
- Pine Island Road – noises on side of house
- Beacon Street – water leak
- Massasoit Way – dead fox in yard
- North Street – suspicious activity
- County Road – motor vehicle accident
- Hitching Post Road – simple threats
- County Road – motor vehicle accident
- Marion Road – malicious destruction/vandalism
- Brandt Island Road – illegal trash dumping
- Route 195 East – motor vehicle accident
- Acushnet Road – annoying phone calls

- Ned's Point Road – annoying phone calls
- Fairhaven Road – adult arrest (warrant)
- Angelica Avenue – monitoring traffic
- County Road – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Ned's Point Road – found property
- Water Street – noise complaint
- Industrial Drive – motor vehicle theft
- Water Street – light on long wharf damaged
- North Street – Verizon truck in road/causing problems
- Route 195 East – motor vehicle rollover
- County Road – possible larceny
- Brandt Island Road – illegal shell fishing
- Mattapoisett Neck Road – loud group/disturbance
- Main Street – youths climbing telephone poles
- Reservation Road – suspicious activity/motor vehicle
- Acushnet Road – harassing phone calls
- Wolf Island Road – suspicious activity/large group of kids
- Tupola Lane – report of speeding.

ROCHESTER

The following log excerpts are for the week of May 22 through May 28, 2001:

- Neck Road – animal complaint
- Adrian's Package Store – vandalism
- Mary's Pond Road – trespassing
- Mattapoisett Animal Hospital – animal control matter
- Snipatuit Road – animal complaint
- Burgess Avenue – animal control matter
- Town Center – suspicious person
- Rounseville Road – vandalism
- New Bedford Road – adult arrest (warrant)
- Randall Road – missing person reported
- New Bedford Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Plumb Corner Mall – larceny
- Plumb Corner Mall – juvenile arrest (minor in possession of stolen property)
- Mary's Pond Road – vandalism
- County Road – highway matter
- Hartley Road – vandalism
- Marion Road – adult arrest (operating with suspended license).



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9 Play thing?
13 Rushes
17 Destroy
18 "You —?" (Lurch's line)
19 Merchant
21 "— partridge in . . ."
22 Dermatological problem
23 Foot part
24 Event of 622
25 Fancy
26 Start of a remark by Roseanne
30 "Sheila" singer
31 Echidna's tidbit
32 Account entry
34 Arthurian knight
38 Dunce
40 Scandinavian capital
44 Susan Lucci role
45 Beige
46 Burlly Burl
47 Black and white delight
49 Neighbor of Okla.
50 Part 2 of remark

- 56 Way to satori
57 Team scream
58 Light metal group?
59 Spouse of Isis
63 Football's Lavelli
65 "The Scarlet Letter" heroine
68 Curtain fabric
69 Agricultural inventor
72 Part 3 of remark
75 Tucker or Roberts
76 Land measure
77 Crops up
78 Montezuma, for one
80 Peat's place
82 Forster's "— With a View"
85 "To be sure!"
86 Shorten a skirt
89 Part 4 of remark
94 Carry to class
97 Intuit
98 Green land
99 Kruger or Gluck
100 Clumsy
102 Prune a paragraph
104 Present for pop

- 105 Writer Rushdie
107 Pigeonhole
108 Glowing
110 Private reply?
111 End of remark
122 Meter reader?
123 Journalist Fallaci
124 Where to speak Farsi
125 Emilia's husband
126 "— take arms against a sea . . ."
127 "The Compleat Angler" author
128 Arrogant
129 It may be bitter
130 Govt. agents
131 — do-well
132 Actress Joyce
133 Toboggan

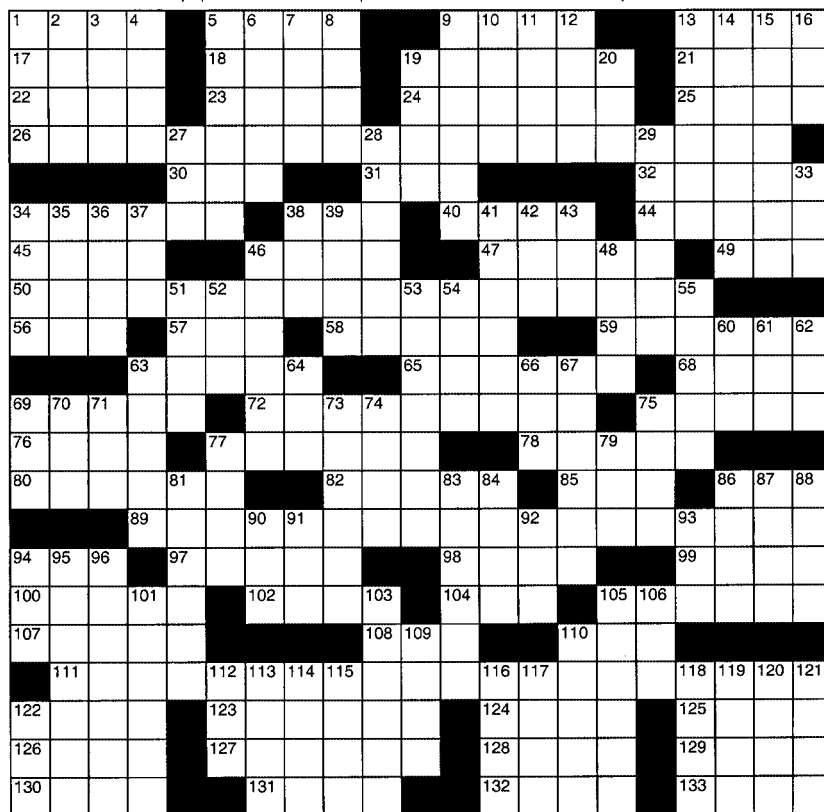
DOWN

- 1 College club
2 "That hurts!"
3 Queue
4 Had no doubts
5 Kindergarten item
6 Writer Bret
7 Foot part

- 8 Eastern leader
9 Rapidly, to Rossini
10 Frenzy
11 Garfield's pal
12 Gilpin of "Frasier"
13 Nautical rope
14 Check
15 Impressive building
16 TV's "My Sister —"
19 Dilute
20 Sneaky sort
27 Meyers of "Kate & Allie"
28 Ornamental dangle
29 Principles
33 Duty
34 Saxophonist Stan
35 Need a rubdown
36 Small bird
37 Great bird?
38 Actress Gardner
39 Doris Day refrain
41 Cavort in the pool
42 — Cruces, NM
43 Can. province
46 '87 Warren Beatty film
48 Last name in fashion

- 51 "Dies —"
52 Rowan or Rather
53 Truman Cabinet member
54 Movie mogul Marcus
55 Whitman's bloomer
60 Fled
61 Frigid
62 Monsarrat's "The Cruel —"
63 Night vision?
64 Inventor Whitney
66 Actress Leoni
67 Pepsin or lipase
69 Barrier
70 Word form for "environ-ment"
71 Goof
73 Sanford of "The Jeffersons"
74 Ralston or Miles
75 Hardy woman
77 Tennis legend
79 Golfer's gadget
81 Nervous —
83 "Swan Lake" heroine
84 1,102, to Calpurnia

- 86 Ian of "The Borrowers"
87 Role for 27 Down
88 Nasty
90 Sturm — Drang
91 Compass pt.
92 Mine find
93 Lyricist David
94 Coal container
95 Doughboy's duds
96 Conceal
101 Light quantum
103 Poet Wylie
105 Burnt —
106 Branch
109 Terrible name?
110 Periwinkle, for one
112 "Would you look at that!"
113 Algerian port
114 Vex
115 Winslet of "Hamlet"
116 Jackknife, e.g.
117 — surgery
118 Puppy protests
119 Monopoly destination
120 Stare salaciously
121 Daring
122 Ample abdomen



SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A temporary setback could work in your favor. Use this time to take another long look at a situation you thought was absolutely foolproof. Better to find the flaws now instead of later.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You divine Bovines could soon be scoring some impressive bull's-eyes as you get closer to putting those carefully made plans into motion. Be patient. Time is on your side.
GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Balance that slightly overly romantic view of your current situation with a much-needed dollop of reality from your practical side. See it as it is, not as you would like it to be.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Your self-confidence continues to grow, but be careful not to overextend yourself. Go forward one step at a time. A partner is ready to provide you with loving support.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) There's no time for on-the-job catnapping for ambitious Leos and Leonas. Changes are coming, and you won't want to miss out on any of the opportunities that go with them.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Your adventurous side continues to play a dominant role in many of the decisions you'll be making over the next few weeks. Enjoy the ride, but don't get carried away.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Avoid distractions that intrude on the time you need to straighten out legal complications. Expect to do some work-related traveling over the next few months.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Be on guard against attempts to take advantage of your kind, caring nature. A trusted friend can help you get the facts before you reach for your checkbook.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A recent unpleasant confrontation could soon flare up again unless all the areas of miscommunication are resolved. The sooner you start the process, the better.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A recent workplace incident could continue to cause problems. Prepare yourself with the facts you'll need if you're called upon to give your side of the story.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18)

This is a good time to speak up about a troubling situation. The sooner you do, the sooner others will realize what's been going on and will help you deal with it.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A change in travel plans could be the first of many that will occur over the next several months.

Meanwhile, deal with a problem involving someone close to you.

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"People don't want the label of being disabled, they may feel that applying for disability benefits is like giving up," said Ms. Soprano. "I ask them to think of it as an interim solution, it doesn't mean you'll never work again. You may be able to work on a limited basis while still receiving benefits."

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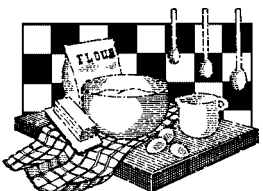
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being charged just to ask the question. If legal work were required beyond the clinic, the individual would be responsible for the cost if they chose to contract the time with the attorney.

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ORR Survival Experience

Once again, many of the Old Rochester Regional Junior High School seventh graders are preparing for the annual voluntary Survival Experience which is the culmination of their seventh grade curriculum. This year the trip will begin on Sunday, June 10 and continue through Saturday, June 16. This will be the 29th happening of this well-known experience. It is estimated that over the previous 29 years there have been approximately 2,900 "survivors" who have completed the week-long outdoor experience. Many have returned through their

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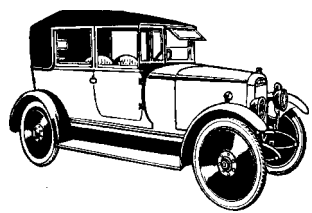
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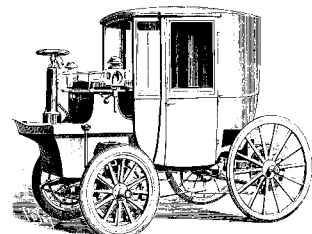


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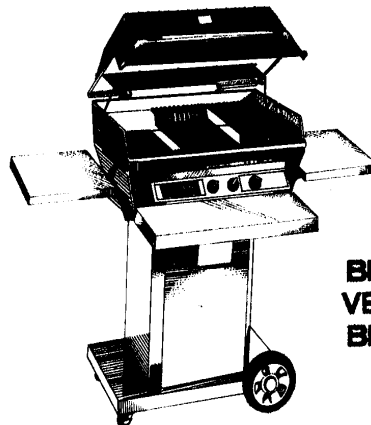
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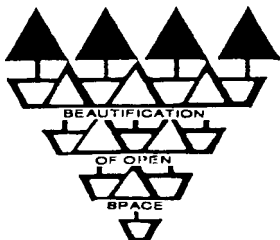
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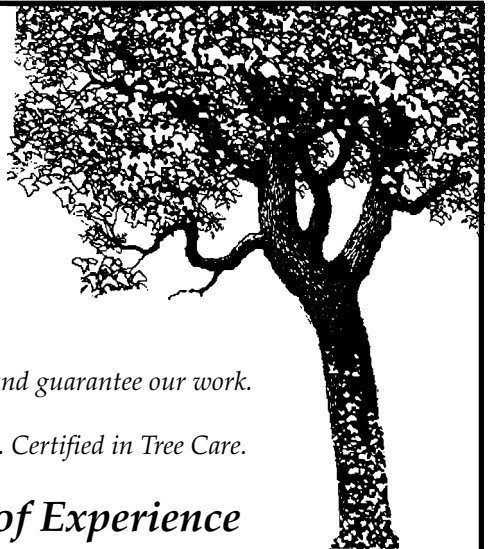
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		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
May 31:	Thurs.	3:38	4:16	10:09	10:43
June 1:	Fri.	4:42	5:17	10:53	11:40
June 2:	Sat.	5:41	6:11	11:29	...
June 3:	Sun.	6:36	7:02	12:27	12:11
June 4:	Mon.	7:26	7:49	1:10	12:42
June 5:	Tues.	8:12	8:34	1:50	1:21
June 6:	Wed.	8:57	9:18	2:29	2:02
June 7:	Thurs.	9:41	10:01	3:07	2:44
June 8:	Fri.	10:25	10:44	3:44	3:27
June 9:	Sat.	11:09	11:27	4:22	4:11
June 10:	Sun.	11:55	...	5:02	4:55
June 11:	Mon.	12:11	12:40	5:43	5:43
June 12:	Tues.	12:54	1:25	6:28	6:37
June 13:	Wed.	1:37	2:10	7:20	7:45
June 14:	Thurs.	2:23	2:56	8:17	9:04
June 15:	Fri.	3:13	3:46	9:12	10:11
June 16:	Sat.	4:08	4:38	10:02	11:03
June 17:	Sun.	5:05	5:30	10:47	11:50
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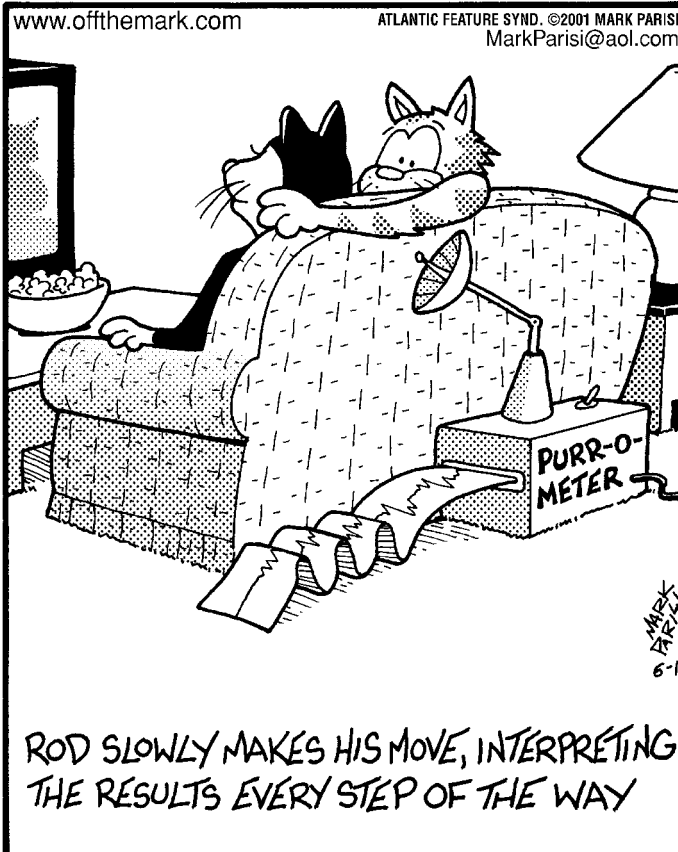
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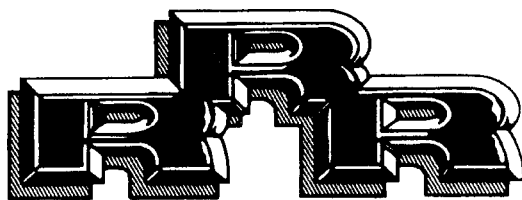


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